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SEPTEMBER 1.

Mr. THOMAS MEEHAN, Vice-President, in the chair.

Twenty-two persons present.

LEIDY MEMORIAL MEETING. Through an oversight a serious omission occurs in the record of the meeting held May 12, on the occasion of the death of Dr. Joseph Leidy, late President of the Academy. The first paper read was by DR. WILLIAM HUNT, who wrote of the personal history and character of the deceased President. The absence of Dr. Hunt's name from the list of those who read papers on the occasion is the more to be regretted as his contribution was prepared with loving appreciation and knowledge of his life-long friend.

SEPTEMBER 8.

Mr. THOMAS MEEHAN, Vice-President, in the chair.

Seventy-five persons present.

North Greenland Expedition. Preliminary reports were read from Messrs Peary, Sharp and Heilprin of the operations of the Expedition fitted out under the auspices of the Academy for the exploration of Greenland, which sailed from Brooklyn, June 6th, at 5 P. M. Detailed accounts of the scientific observations made during the voyage will be published in the Proceedings of a later date.

SEPTEMBER 15.

Rev. H. C. MCCOOK, D. D., Vice-President, in the chair.

Three hundred and ninety-eight persons present.

The Ornithological Section reported its organization with the following officers:—

Director, Spencer F. Trotter, M. D.
Vice-Director, George S. Morris.
Recorder, Samuel N. Rhoads.
Treasurer, Isaac C. Martindale.

Secretary, Charles E. Ridenour.
Conservator, Witmer Stone.

The third Monday of each month was selected as the time of meeting.

PROF. HEILPRIN made the first of a series of communications on the physiography of Greenland which was followed by an exhibition by means of lantern and screen, of photographs taken during the expedition by DR. BENJAMIN SHARP.

SEPTEMBER 22.

Rev. HENRY C. MCCOOK, D. D., Vice-President, in the chair.

One hundred and eighty-three persons present.

SEPTEMBER 29.

Mr. JOHN H. REDFIELD in the chair.

Seventy-three persons present.

The death of Dr. John G. Lee, a member, September 9, was announced.

Messrs Angelo Heilprin, J. P. Lesley, Persifor Frazer, Wm. B. Scott and Benjamin Smith Lyman were appointed as the Committee on the Hayden Memorial Geological Award.

Dr. Wm. E. Hughes and Dr. John MacFarlane were elected members.

The following were ordered to be printed:—